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FELON HAS TAYLOR DEATH KEY THEATER DEATH TOLL AT 80

FILM FUMES OVERCOME TOTS

PAISLEY, Scotland, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Horror and mourning saw the old year out in this manufacturing town of 34,000 persons tonight after the worst cinema disaster in British history. The crackle of flames in a Hollywood film had led to real life drama in which some 80 children were killed and 140 sent to hospitals, 40 in a grave condition.

The films, aptly named "The Crowd," in which a fire truck runs over a baby girl, was being shown to 1500 children ranging from 10 months to 14 years at a holiday matinee in the Glen Cinema theater. Deadly carbon monoxide fumes spread from the operator's booth and created a panic as the children, with only a few adults to guide them, raced for the exits.

The blaze itself was slight, but cries of "fire" and "acid fumes" brought death. Blindly the children fought for the main exit, where those on the ground floor became hopelessly entangled with the frightened mob tumbling down the stairs from the balcony. Side exits were almost ignored.

The cause was uncertain. The cinema operator said his assistant was rewinding film in his booth when he heard a hissing noise. He saw the assistant try to carry the blazing film up the building but it flared up and could not be handled. W. C. Bibbs, residing opposite the theater, said on the other hand that the film itself was not damaged.

The fumes appeared to have done the deadliest execution, taking a greater toll even than the piling up, ten or twelve deep, of the frantic youngsters seeking to escape.

100 Saved
Rescuers with improvised gas masks were unable to force their way through the jammed doors and reached the upper windows by ladders. Heaps of children were found by the exits. At least 100 lives were saved as rescuers passed survivors from hand to hand up to the windows and down ladders.

Paisley's holiday spirit, a strong and famous one, vanished abruptly. Streets around the theater were filled with wailing women and anxious men. The dead and living were piled into ambulances, street cars and other vehicles which were commandeered to take them to the hospitals.

The majority of Paisley's residents, thousands of whom work in mills making thread and cotton cloth, rushed to the vicinity, which soon was hopelessly choked with hysterical men and women. Volunteer rescue workers mobilized and handed over to those in the street, who attempted to resuscitate them. Little knots of people screamed and helplessly called the names of children.

Mothers fought to get into the buildings. Pushed back, they dashed aimlessly about shrieking the names of their loved ones. Some prayed. Parents lined up outside the mortuary where 69 bodies were taken. They were permitted to enter one by one and attempt to identify the victims. Mothers and even fathers collapsed.

A witness said he entered the theater unaware of the tragedy within. He was met by dense clouds of smoke and by several (Continued on Page 6)

Rolling In Happy New Year



THE NEW YEAR, played by Marjorie White, seems slightly out of sorts. But being Marjorie it can't last long, as any one who has ever seen her in moving pictures knows. Perhaps Marjorie resents the indignity of the baby carriage.

REOPENING OF CASE SEEN

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—The key to the William Desmond Taylor murder case is in the hands of an ex-convict, paroled from Folsom penitentiary in 1926, Friend W. Richardson, former governor of California told the United Press in an exclusive interview here tonight.

Search for the unnamed convict will begin immediately after New Year's day, it was inferred from Richardson's statement that he planned a long distance conversation with Byron Fitts, district attorney of Los Angeles county tomorrow or Thursday.

To Reopen Case

Richardson said that he would place this and other information in Fitts' hands at that time. The latter has already announced his intention of reopening the Taylor case upon the basis of new evidence recently developed.

In a written statement furnished the United Press tonight, Richardson said in part: "During my term as governor, I was advised that a prisoner in the state's prison at Folsom had a key to the famous William Desmond Taylor murder mystery."

"Taylor was a prisoner several years before he was paroled under dramatic circumstances."

"Strong efforts were made to discover the person who did the killing, but still stronger influences bent every effort to shield the criminal and no one has yet been indicted."

"The Folsom prisoner's statement was looked into carefully, and it appeared that he held the key to the case. He knew all the circumstances, knew the chief witness who was then in Vera Cruz, and was willing to tell the grand jury the full story when called."

Committee Called

"I went to Los Angeles and called a committee of the grand jury to my office and presented the case to them. I said I felt the prisoner, although a criminal, had facts which, if carefully and secretly investigated by the district attorney's office through its corps of detectives would bring back the Vera Cruz witness and the grand jury would then know who the criminal was who murdered Taylor."

"The matter was discussed fully and the jurymen had little confidence in the integrity of district attorney Keyes."

Keyes Suspected

"They finally decided that even if the prisoner was brought from Folsom to testify before the grand jury, that Keyes was in league with the powerful interests which were protecting the person who murdered Taylor, and that Keyes would advise these interests so that the Vera Cruz witness could be spirited away."

"The matter of bringing in the attorney general was discussed, but as his power is limited by statute, as he is without a detective force, and as Keyes could not be kept out of the grand jury room under the law, that it would not bring results. So I left the information with the grand jurymen. The jury took no action."

Felon Sentenced

"The unnamed prisoner, according to Richardson, was a free man at the time the motion picture director was found shot thru the heart in his box-like little two story home on Alvarado street in Los Angeles. He asserted his familiarity with several of the principals in the case through connections with a bootlegging and drug ring. Subsequently he was convicted of a felony himself, and as a 'two time loser,' sentenced to Folsom."

His story of the shooting was in the nature of first-person testimony, according to Richardson, and fully corroborated by the second (Continued on Page 4)

C. C. REVIEWS YEAR'S WORK

The results of a year of progress were summarized yesterday by the chamber of commerce in a report covering activities and achievements for 1929.

The coming of a radio station, completion of the Parr-Richmond Terminal, the bringing of new industries, and the improvement of street, power and water facilities to the inner harbor industrial zone, were all listed as among the forward looking developments of the 12 months just ended.

The largest new industry attracted was the Filice and Pechell cannery between Tenth and Fourteenth streets, which will erect a plant costing in the neighborhood of \$350,000 and will employ from 700 to 900 persons for the greater period of each year. This plant will be constructed during the winter and will operate in the spring.

Terminal Finished

The Parr-Richmond Terminal was completed last September and was officially dedicated at a public ceremony early in October. It has attracted heavy tonnage according to Fred D. Parr, and has already proved the need for such a development on the inner harbor. Numerous steamship lines are calling there when the cargo justifies it, and several will in the near future make Richmond a regular port of call. This has already been done by the Nelson Steamship company for points to the northwest.

Completion of the details of the agreement with the Ford Motor company was a feature of the year's progress. Deep water, filed land, rail and street sections, and the connection of the tract with the necessary sewers, power lines and water mains were all features of the (Continued on Page 2)

Record-Herald To Celebrate New Years Day

Celebrating the advent of the New Year, the Richmond RECORD-HERALD will suspend publication for one day to allow every employee an opportunity to celebrate.

Every department of this newspaper will be closed today, but business will be resumed as usual on Thursday.

This will be the last copy of your paper until Friday morning, when the RECORD-HERALD, carrying the latest news of Richmond and the world will be laid at your doorstep.

Happy New Year!

ROSE FETE IN SOUTH TODAY

PASADENA, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Millions of blooms will decorate the 130 floats which will pass in parade in the annual New Year's day Tournament of Roses here Wednesday.

As the parade moves down beautiful Orange Grove avenue into historic Colorado street, it will be a far cry from the first which passed over the same route then an unpaved rutted country lane on January 1, 1893.

Twenty members of the Valley Hunt club staged that first parade 40 years ago. With wild flowers crudely attached to their buggies, they drove down a line before 1050 of their friends. On Wednesday, 700,000 persons will see this year's parade.

The football game between University of Southern California and University of Pittsburgh will follow.

TRIO LOST ON CLIMB FOUND

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Two youths and a girl who wandered in a maze of trails on rugged Mount Wilson for 65 hours before they were rescued, came home late today, exhausted and famished by their experience.

They were found just before dawn by two of the hundreds of searchers—George Green and S. Ray Darholt. Then, when Darholt went to Mount Wilson tavern and could not lead others back to the place where the students had been located, another hunt was about to be started.

But Green brought the staggering three to the tavern and they were sent to their parents, waiting at the Altadena sheriff's substation.

The three University of California at Los Angeles students were:

Cecilia Caplan, 18; Jack Schwartz, 18; and Lawrence Kotkin, 20.

Since Saturday morning they had been trapped in a canyon. Almost humorous was the fact that a cigarette lighter which was the only possible means of starting a signal fire would not light.

Local Students Receive Degrees

Two Richmond and one El Cerrito student at the University of California will receive their diplomas from the University of California, according to an announcement made from the university yesterday.

Fred L. Whittlesey, 531 Twelfth street, will receive his degree from the college of mechanics as a master of science; George D. Miner, a teacher in the Roosevelt Junior high school will receive his master of science degree and Miss Alice Bagley, of El Cerrito will receive her degree of master of arts.

Whittlesey and Miss Bagley are graduates of the Richmond Union high school.

First Asparagus Of County Put On Sale Yesterday

BYRON, Dec. 31.—Nine and one-half pounds of asparagus, said to be the first to reach the market this year, was placed on sale in Oakland yesterday at a wholesale price of \$1.50 a pound.

The vegetables were grown at the Tony Leon ranch near Byron. Market dealers said that the shipment was the earliest on record.

GEMS STOLEN AT CLUB FOUND

MARTINEZ, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—The sheriff's office here was today notified by Berkeley police that they had recovered from the effects of William Berger slain Berkeley burglar, \$2500 worth of jewelry, belonging to Mrs. J. H. Nash of 1831 San Juan avenue, Berkeley. The jewelry was stolen from her automobile near the Berkeley Country club nearly a year ago, while she was inspecting a building being built for her.

Authorities believe that discovery of the jewelry in Berger's effects, would solve other similar thefts in which jewels of east bay women were stolen last year while visiting country clubs of this county.

Berger, known as the "hole in the wall" burglar was shot to death in Berkeley Christmas day by Berkeley police as he was about to enter his home with an armful of loot.

Tilamook To Dock Friday

The steamer Tilamook of the Christiansen and Hanlon line will dock at the Richmond inner harbor Friday morning to load a general cargo for Portland.

This will be the first steamer to dock at the local waterfront in 1930 and will be closely followed by several other vessels slated to dock here early this month.

Clare D. Horner To Officiate At East-West Game

Clare D. Horner, local attorney, will be one of the officials on the field when east meets west in the annual Shrine football game at Kears stadium, San Francisco, at two o'clock this afternoon.

Horne and Tom Lipp, an official of the Big Ten Conference, will act as head linesmen; Bob Evans will be the referee; Court Majors will be the umpire and Tom Fitzpatrick will be time-keeper.

Horne is a football official and referees a number of high school and junior college games each year.

Fifteen Richmond DeMolay boys will attend the game and will be in the "rooting section."

Brother Of Taft Reported Dying

CINCINNATI, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Charles P. Taft, 86, publisher of the Cincinnati Times-Star, and half brother of William Howard Taft, chief justice, was reported near death here late today. He has been fighting for months against complications, which followed an attack of pneumonia, his doctors said.

EAST WEST GAME TODAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—All-American football players from many colleges will be turned loose in Kears stadium here Wednesday for the fifth annual East-West benefit game.

The choicest of America's gridiron crop during the past year, each one having been named on the post-season honor roll of his conference or section and most of them having gained national acclaim, will line up in the outstanding contest of independent amateur teams.

Spectacular individual performances alone will determine the result.

New Backfields

For example, "Dutch" Clark of Colorado College had 10 men of average ability who worked together in union to help Clark gain. Their plays were made for him alone. In this game Clark will be representing the west in a backfield combination he has never worked before in actual combat. Some times that he carries the ball he will depend on George Ackerman, tackle of St. Mary's picked by a number as first all-American to clear the path for him. But Ackerman's supremacy will be questioned by "Red" Sleight, Purdue and Twombly, Notre Dame, and Twombly, who have been as widely heralded as himself.

Team play therefore will probably count for little. There will be signals for the plays that have been learned in two weeks of practice, but 60,000 ticket holders have been attracted mostly by the popularity of the contestants.

Each man will fight as hard as he did against his rival in the last fall, for the traditional question of sectional supremacy calls for rivalry.

Fair Weather

Fair weather, with a slight chill in the air, is the forecast. Crippled children in Shrine's hospitals will benefit.

Three times the western all-stars were victorious but last year the east conquered 20 to 0. It has been harder to pick a winner this year than ever before.

The west was favored slightly, odds changing to its favor after Stanford beat Army, 34 to 13 Saturday, turning back Christian Kjaer, Cagle one of the east's most prominent all-Americans.

Each team has 22 men. All have played their last year of college football and this is the last appearance of many in football suits.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Gilbert Winters, 23, of Crockett, and Christine L. Val, 19, of 661 Twenty-first street, Richmond, applied for a marriage license in Oakland recently.

BOY DOESN'T LIKE SCHOOL, SO ENDS LIFE

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Raymond James Chavez was 15 and did not like to go to school. So he went into the bathroom of his home in San Dimas today, turned on the gas and shot himself to death.

J. R. Chavez, father of the boy, passed the bathroom and discovered a note hanging on the doorknob, saying: "Have turned gas on so don't come in."

The parents had heard a shot previously, but were not aware that it had occurred in the house. They found their son on the floor, bleeding from rifle wounds and clutching a note which read:

"Well, goodbye mum and paw. Tell gran and all the rest that I said goodbye and wish you all the best wishes. Take good care of pups and don't feel too bad. I think it is all the best and I hate to go to school, so goodbye with love to you all. The last few weeks' life has been a joke to me."

FOX SIGN GREET'S 1930

One of the largest of its kind in this county, the new electric sign was lighted at the Fox-California theater last night by Mayor Al Paulson in the presence of city officials and A. V. Brady, manager of the local showhouse.

The new sign is 32 feet high and five and one half feet wide and bears the six foot white letters "Fox" on a maroon background.

The new sign, which was officially lighted at seven o'clock last night was installed yesterday.

Brady stated that the improvement is in keeping with the Fox program of giving the best in the entertainment world.

Brady stated that the theater will be completely renovated during the new year.

39 Reckless, 49 Drunk Drivers In County In 1929

MARTINEZ, Dec. 31.—According to a report made today by Traffic Capt. George Belon, 39 motorists were arrested in Contra Costa county in 1929 on charges of reckless driving, and 49 were arrested on charges of driving while under the influence of liquor.

The majority of those arrested on intoxication charges, faced reduced charges of reckless driving, the report shows.

UTILITY RATES CUT

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Reductions will be made in major utility rates that will save residents of California about \$3,500,000 the state railroad commission announced here today.

Orders reducing rates for service by major utilities in California are expected to be issued in a few days, the announcement said, "leaving consumers of the state in as favorable position as those in the south."

"It is anticipated that these reductions will effect any increases allowed during the same period."

It was explained that the total reductions of approximately \$3,500,000 would offset the \$2,100,000 increase allowed the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company in northern and central California, leaving the total saving for the year to utility patrons generally to approximately \$3,500,000.

A part of the statement disclosed a new order for a \$200,000 reduction in the rates of the Southern Counties Gas company, effective Jan. 16.

Lack Of Clothes Costs Star \$500

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—It was a bad day for "Cherie" Leona Griffith, 110-pound burlesque soubrette. Instead of applause she got a \$500 fine.

The cheese cloth draperies lay on a table in front of Carlin P. Smith, youthful municipal judge, while Cherie sat, fully and smartly clad, with five other defendants from the Twelfth street and the Empress theaters.

Cherie was charged with indecent exposure. The show managers were charged with producing obscene performances. Two comedians and an usher were charged with vile language. All of them were taken to the station Saturday night after a raid on complaint of club women. Each of them was fined \$500 and announced an appeal.

Youth Facing Theft Charge

MARTINEZ, Dec. 31.—A formal complaint charging Carl A. Camis, 20, of Santa Cruz, with petty larceny, was filed here today.

Police declare that Camis was caught in the act of stealing lead from the Giant Powder company's plant at Giant. A companion of the youth, whose identity is unknown, has not been apprehended.

THE WEATHER

Today and tomorrow, cool with fog in the morning.

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agreement which had to be fulfilled before the Ford company would proceed with its plans for the construction of a \$5,000,000 assembling plant. All details of the agreement have now been fulfilled, and it is believed there is now no obstacle to the company coming to Richmond. The company would employ at least 200 men, which according to the usual averages would increase Richmond's total population by 10,000. The Ford company owns 70 acres adjoining the Parr-Richmond terminal. It is understood they will build here a plant ranking with the Canadian plant, the largest one outside of Detroit.

1930 Policy

The bulk of the chamber of commerce activity during 1929 was centered on the attraction of new industries, and this will be the policy through 1930, it was announced.

During the year the Parr Terminal corporation purchased East Shore park from the Key System Transitory company as a private venture. While this land is privately held, it is regarded as a substantial asset to Richmond, as it adds a large new acreage available for new industries which would swell Richmond's payrolls. The park is level and is well served by rail and highway transportation and at the same time

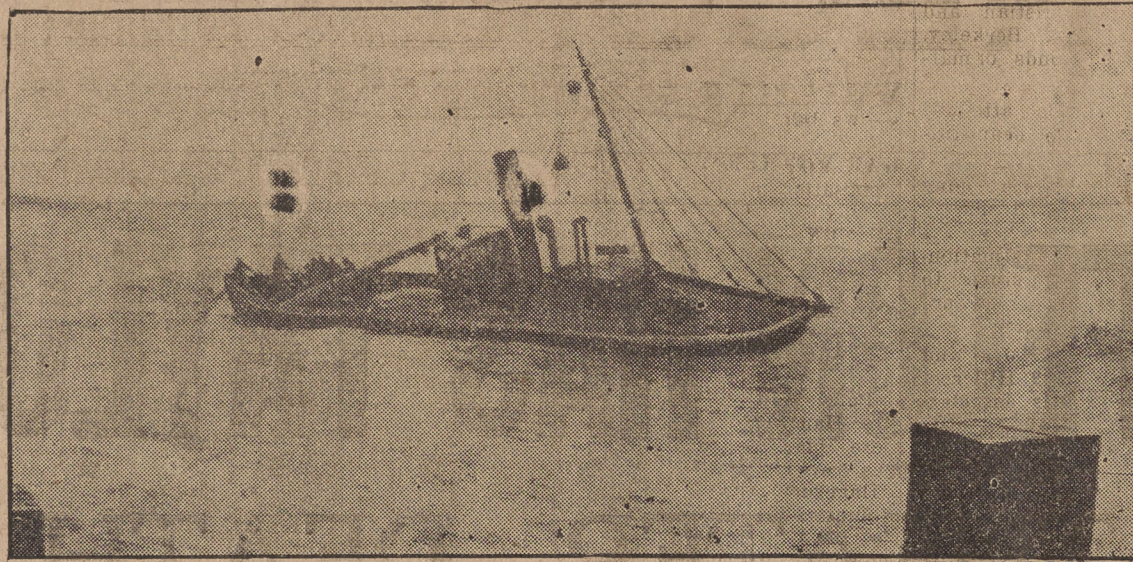
is so situated that the products from its factories would naturally flow out to the world over the Richmond terminal facilities.

Radio Station
Radio station KFWM took two acres in this site, erecting a broadcast plant. Plans have been completed for a new studio building adjoining. KFWM may also locate a station in the central business district of Richmond, it was said by W. L. Gleason, station manager.

The traffic committee under W. W. Scott and the industrial committee headed by George N. Rooker carried on aggressive activity during the year. It was said by P. M. Sanford, president of the chamber. Scott's committee was particularly concerned with securing an adjustment of rates of various kinds. One of the chief matters under discussion has been that of the joint rail and water rates to interior northwest points, the decision on which has not yet been secured from the carriers. Rooker's committee authorized sending local representatives to the east to make personal contact with industrial prospects. These trips were taken by T. M. Carlson and by Fred D. Parr at various times throughout the year. A definite sum has been set aside by the chamber to finance these eastern trips, on the ground that Richmond can best be sold by personal contact.

Extensive plans will be outlined by the chamber early in 1930 for a continuance of the industrial activity. Everything possible will be done, it was said, to bring new plants here to add to the local payrolls and increase the wealth of the community.

Storm King On Rampage



ONE OF the many English ships driven ashore in storm was the Yarmouth drifter, Y. H. 276, on the rocks at Gorleston, England. This picture was taken as the crew was about to be rescued.

Utah Sheriff To Return Suspect

Smith Sutton, deputy sheriff of Salt Lake County, Utah, will arrive in El Cerrito within the next few days to return W. H. Reynolds, now being held in the El Cerrito city jail.

Reynolds is wanted in Utah on charges of failure to provide for his wife and four children.

Verda Tormey Leaves Hospital

Miss Verda Tormey, after a six weeks stay in the Hospital Richmond, has returned home to her folks at Oleum, in time for New Years day. She underwent a major operation and has been under the care of Dr. U. S. Abbott.

Holy Communion At St. Edmund's Today

Holy Communion will be held at the St. Edmund's church today at 10:30 a. m. Rev. H. I. Oberholzer announced.

Rev. Weldon Wilson, formerly pastor of the First Baptist church will address the congregation at the Sunday evening services.

San Rafael Store Of Alberts Will Be Improved

Improvements costing many thousands of dollars are scheduled for the Albert's store in San Rafael, according to an announcement by Jacob Albert head of Albert's department stores in Richmond, San Rafael, Napa and San Anselmo.

After visiting the principal cities of southern California, Albert and his son Harry have returned to San Rafael.

Albert said, "It is my ambition to have my stores, models of their kind, and to give the cities we serve the best not only in merchandise, but also in service."

The San Rafael store, will have a bargain basement among other improvements.

Youth Lectured In Auto Case

Charged with driving a car without the owner's consent John Martenson, 14, of Berkeley, was given a severe lecture by Justice of the Peace A. A. Alstrom yesterday and was dismissed.

Robert Graham, 1304 Delaware street, Berkeley, owner of the car, refused to press charges against the youth.

Martenson was arrested by Richmond police several days ago after Graham had reported to eastbay police that his car was missing.

Richmond Driver Assessed \$50 In El Cerrito Court

Pleading guilty to a charge of reckless driving, Salvadoro Cesmeros, of 652 Second street, Richmond, was fined \$50 by Police Judge J. F. Plank of El Cerrito yesterday morning.

Cesmeros was picked up on San Pablo avenue early Tuesday morning by Patrolman Ed Smith of the El Cerrito police department.

The Richmond man was lodged in the city jail over night and was given his hearing before Judge Plank yesterday morning.

Concord Youth To Face Court On Auto Charges

Manuel Amaranth, 16, of Concord, was certified to the juvenile court by Justice of the Peace Arthur Alstrom yesterday to face charges of speeding and driving without a license.

Amaranth was arrested by Traffic Officer Charles Nissen of the state motor patrol near Pinole several days ago.

Nissen alleges that the youth was driving 52 miles an hour in a 40 mile zone and that he had no operator's license.

The Richmond Fire department was called yesterday afternoon to extinguish a fire at the home of Lo Gulisti, 517 Golden Gate avenue. There was no damage.

PALMER DIX DIES IN S. F.

Commodore Palmer Dix, a former resident of Richmond, who has been living in Susanville for the past ten years, died at the Lane Hospital in San Francisco yesterday. Deceased was 70 years of age and a native of Ohio. He lived in this state 30 years.

The body was sent by the Curry chapel to Chico, where funeral services are to be held.

Deceased leaves his widow, Nancy K. Dix, and several children: Ralph A. of Susanville; Cecil V. and Mrs. Mabel Eckle of Whittier; Mrs. Myrtle Butler of Auburn; Mrs. Florence Skelley and Mrs. D. Alpins of Chico, and Mrs. Bertha Helton of Oroville.

FERRY TO BE CLUB

The old ferry steamer El Capitán, which plied between Vallejo and Vallejo Junction, is to be remodeled and made into a floating clubhouse. It will be stationed at Paradise Cove near Point San Quentin.

REDUCED PRICES AT BLACK'S

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Happy New Year

Burg Bros.

Pioneer Realty Dealers
332 Twenty-third Street

Sees Prosperity in the near future for everyone, and extends to all a

Happy New Year

Richmond Lumber Co.

Russell Meyer, Prop.
23rd and Espee Avenue

Wishes to the People of
Richmond a

Happy New Year

Coster, The Tire Man

22nd and Macdonald

Wishes His Many Satisfied Customers a

Happy New Year

Greetings and a Happy New Year

Is the Wish of the

Home Laundry

349 Sixteenth Street

Johnson's Tire Service

262 Fourteenth Street

Wishes You a Prosperous and

Happy New Year

Happy New Year

from

Liberty Cash Market

TONY MAZZAI, Prop.
13 Washington Avenue

P. F. Johnson & Son

WALTER JOHNSON, Manager

Santa Fe Yards

Wood—Coal—Building Material

Extends to the People of
Richmond a

Happy New Year

E. H. Higgins

2 Sixth Street
Fuel and Building Materials

Extends the Greetings of the Season to His
Friends and Wishes Them a

Happy New Year

Cathelen Coffee Shop

732 Macdonald Avenue

Wishes Its Many Customers a

Happy New Year

A Happy New Year

Is Extended
To All By

Richmond Plating Works

Rudolph Borda, Prop.
1120 Macdonald Avenue

Pioneer Electric Co.

1113 Macdonald Avenue

Extends the Greetings of the Season and
Wishes Everyone a

Happy New Year

Happy New Year

Is Extended To All
by the

Economy Electric Co.

351 Sixth Street

B. J. Clark

1118 Macdonald Avenue

Extends to Its Many Customers a

Happy New Year

Happy New Year

Is the Wish of the

*Mayers American Cleaning
Co.*

1106 Macdonald Avenue

Happy New Year

To Friends and Customers from

Joe's Battery Shop

Joe Perasso, Prop.

1325 Macdonald Ave.

MISS RICHARD, REESE HAYS WED YESTERDAY

Mrs. Reese Hays of 561 Hayes street, Richmond, yesterday claimed her bride, Consuelo M. Richard, of 546 South Twenty-ninth street, Richmond.

The marriage took place in Santa Rosa at 10 o'clock and the couple are sojourning in Los Angeles and San Diego for their honeymoon.

The newlyweds expect to return to Richmond in a week or so, and will make their residence in the Cecil Brunner apartments in Richmond.

Mrs. Hays, nee Richards, is a graduate of Richmond Union high school, and a former student at the California school of Arts and Crafts in Oakland. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Richard.

Hays, also a former Richmond high school student, attended the University of California and is now associated with his father in the real estate business here.

Oregon Visitors Return To Home
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hansen and daughter Ruth, left yesterday for their home in Coos Bay, Ore., after a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Miller, 461 Thirtieth street.

Wall Flower In Divorce Action
ALLIANCE, Neb.—Because her husband allowed her to be a "wall flower" at dances, Mrs. Lucy Ellis is suing for a divorce from her husband, Oliver.

Mrs. Irma Randolph

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Record-Herald Thanked By War Mothers

Richmond, Calif., Dec. 28, 1929.

RECORD-HERALD, Richmond, Calif., Dear Editor:

The members of Richmond Chapter, American War Mothers, extend to you their sincere thanks and appreciation for the many favors received during the past year, and for the generous publicity given to their affairs. We thank you.

MRS. Sarah A. Pitchford, Secretary.

ST. EDMUNDS GUILD ENJOYS YULE PARTY

Mrs. J. J. Fenix was reelected president of the St. Edmund's Guild yesterday at a meeting held in the Guild hall. All of the officers of the group were reelected. They were Mrs. A. Fowell, secretary; Miss C. Rodgers, treasurer; Mrs. E. G. Harlow, first vice-president; and Mrs. H. I. Oberholtzer, second vice-president.

The group held a Christmas party yesterday at the Guild hall, which was one of the most successful events ever held by the group. Mrs. Fenix arranged the affair.

The program included a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Fenix, violin solo by Miss Yvonne Hastings, accompanied by Helen Heaster; readings by Miss Mary Jatta and a number of songs by Miss Emily Fowell, Miss Anna Oberholtzer and Miss Dorothea Hagen.

Mrs. W. W. Scott was in charge of the games.

Each member of the group received gifts and refreshments were served.

STEARNS REPORTED BETTER

Reports received from the Mare Island hospital are to the effect that H. M. Stearns of 801 Twenty-third street is rapidly improving in health.

FOOT AILMENTS

Dr. L. G. Cupp, Chiropractor, Special Treatment for Correction of Arch Troubles.

1002 Macdonald Ave. Hours 10 to 1 and 2 to 6. Evenings by appointment. Phone Richmond 1922.

DAUDET FREE TO RETURN HOME

PARIS, Dec. 31.—(U.P.)—Leon Daudet is free to return to France and continue his campaign to put Philippe, Duke of Orleans, on the throne as King.

President Gaston Doumergue signed a pardon today for Daudet, brilliant monarchist and journalist, who has been in virtual exile at Brussels since he escaped from jail here in June, 1927.

"If I return, I swear to enter politics more violently than before," said Daudet, when interviewed in Brussels. And his many friends expect him to keep his word.

Stormy Figure

Daudet always was a stormy figure and an interesting one. Solidly built and determined looking, he furnished all of France with sarcasm and humor. As a member of the Chamber of Deputies and at the same time the personal representative of Philippe, the Bourbon pretender to the throne, he earned fiercely for restoration of the empire.

He became editor of the "Action Francaise," royalist publication under ban of the Pope. As a writer he was a worthy son of the famous litterateur, Alphonse Daudet.

Several years ago his 15-year-old son Philippe, was shot dead. The body was found in a taxicab. Police said "suicide" but Leon Daudet fought the theory. He published bitter articles, accused police of killing the boy, implicated the chauffeur. He attacked Raymond Poincare, at that time premier, who had a relative in the police department.

Ousted From France

His pen became so bitter that a criminal libel action was brought against him. Police were sent to arrest him. He barricaded himself in his home. Firemen shot tons of water through the windows to dislodge him. Reserves were powerless.

Finally the police chief himself arrived in formal attire. He pressed the doorbell, and the door swung open.

"I suggest you come out," he told Daudet, "and prevent bloodshed."

Politeness won. Daudet surrendered.

Held In Prison

He languished in Sante prison, but his friends were not idle. They commandeered all telephones in the ministry of interior for one day, and one of them telephoned the prison governor and ordered Daudet's release in the name of the minister of interior.

The ruse worked. The governor released Daudet and bowed him to an automobile. Daudet fled into Belgium, where he has been ever since. Scores of French radicals made pilgrimages to Brussels to hear him speak. There were rumors that he even smuggled himself back across the French border on dark nights and harangued his followers.

Pardon Given

Recently a move was started to bring about his return on the theory he had been punished sufficiently. Communists in the Chamber of Deputies demanded last week, however, whether it was planned to pardon Daudet and keep aged and ill communists in prison. Premier Andre Tardieu said no.

So President Doumergue not only signed Daudet's pardon today, but ordered the release of 12 obscure communists at the same time.

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J. A. BURG, BERKELEY GIRL WED MONDAY

The Grace Cathedral in San Francisco was the setting for a beautiful wedding Monday night, when Miss Leyla Christian and J. A. Burg, both of Berkeley, were joined in the bonds of matrimony.

Hundreds of friends attended the ceremonies in the beautifully decorated church.

Immediately after the ceremony the couple departed on a honeymoon via automobile. They left no word as to their destination, but are expected to return to Berkeley in about a week where they will make their home.

Burg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Burg of 89 Hillcrest avenue Berkeley, and is associated with his father in the real estate business in Richmond.

A brother, Ed Burg, also in the real estate business here, acted as best man. Mrs. Anna Mead of Berkeley, was bridesmaid.

Both of the newlyweds attended the University of California, where they met.

Mrs. Burg, nee Christian, is a private secretary in a prominent firm, and is expected to retain her position for a short time. She is the daughter of Mrs. Anne Christian of Berkeley.

Burg will continue in the real estate business here.

—RAGS WANTED—
THE RECORD-HERALD

What's Doing On Thursday

PRESBYTERIAN GENERAL AID: At church parlors this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

N. O. W. LODGE: At Odd Fellows hall at 8 o'clock.

WAR MOTHERS: Election and installation at two o'clock.

BEACON CHAPTER: At Masonic hall at 8 o'clock.

Hagerdon, Mrs. Lee Married Saturday

Police officer H. Hagerdon and Mrs. Harriet C. Lee, of Richmond, were married last Saturday, it was revealed yesterday.

Hagerdon has served on the Richmond police force for a number of years. His wife is well known in Richmond.

The couple will make their home in Richmond. They are now on their honeymoon in the south.

CARLSON IN LOS ANGELES

City Attorney T. M. Carlson left last night for Los Angeles. He expects to return Thursday.

HARRY ALBERT VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Albert of San Rafael, the general manager of a Richmond visitor yesterday.

Braves Snow In 36 Hour Hike



PAULINE BRODHUN, who with Capt. Frank Reardon hiked 12 miles through blizzard near Seattle after their automobile became snow-bound. The walk took 36 hours.

Lester, Brother On Valley Tour

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lester of 218 Sixth street, and his brother John Lester and wife of Harbor Beach Mich., left yesterday afternoon for a trip through Sacramento and the Sacramento valley.

John and Isaac met recently after a separation of 41 years, and Isaac is taking his brother and wife on a motor tour thru the Sacramento valley country over New Years.

R. H. Wood To Visit With Son

R. H. Wood, west side grocer, is leaving today for Monterey, where he will spend New Year's day with his son, Capt. Delmore S. Wood at the Presidio.

MANY WELCOME NEW YEAR AT GAY PARTIES

A large number of Richmond persons were guests at New Year's eve parties held last night.

A dinner dance in the Carquinez clubhouse was one of the features of the evening. More than 100 persons attended.

At the Berkeley Country club, a New Year's eve jinx was enjoyed by a large number of persons, including more than 25 people from Richmond.

The dinner dance of the Oakland Elks at their clubhouse in Oakland attracted a large number of Richmond people.

New Year's eve in San Francisco, a world famous event, drew large crowds from this city.

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New industries, perfection of our transportation links, completion of the Parr-Richmond Terminal, preparation of new areas as industrial sites—all these are achievements to the credit of the City of Richmond and its Chamber of Commerce. THESE THINGS COULD NOT HAVE HAPPENED WITHOUT A CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Organization is merely another name for a number of people working together to accomplish a desired end. Richmond's progress during the past year has been largely due to organization by its forward looking citizens whereby the advantages of the community were first intelligently developed and then properly set before its prospective customers.

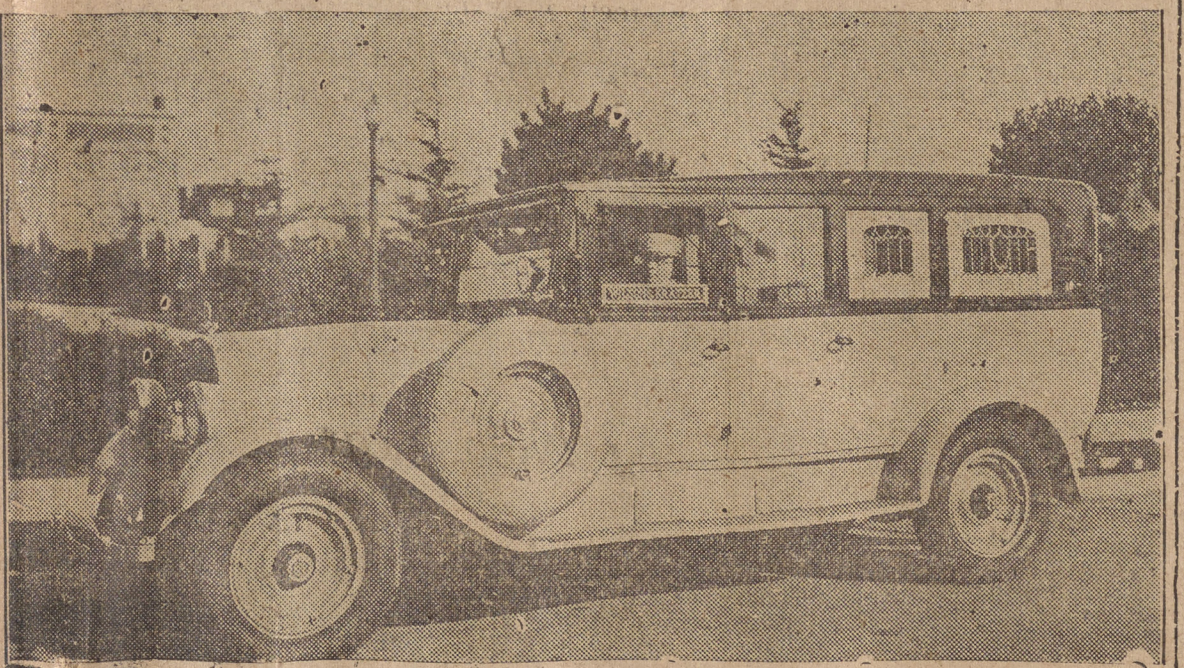
A good deal of preliminary work is necessary before results show in a community development program. The achievements of 1929 are largely the results of work done in 1928, and the achievements of 1930 will be manifold as a result of the preliminary ground work we have laid in 1929.

It is not difficult to imagine Richmond increasing its population by 50 per cent in the year just ahead. For example, a certain large industry whose location here is expected, would employ 2000 men, which would mean an increase of 10,000 in the population. Therefore, this one industry alone would increase Richmond's population by more than 30 per cent over the present 31,000. This gives an idea of the greatly accelerated growth which Richmond has a reasonable right to expect in the immediate future.

Such results can only be made possible by an aggressive, determined support of the Chamber of Commerce.

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SUMMONS

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

LEOTA K. TROXEL, plaintiff, vs. ELMER P. TROXEL, defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Contra Costa.

The People of the State of California send greeting to ELMER P. TROXEL, Defendant.

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO APPEAR, and answer the Complaint in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this Summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as

above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the Complaint, as arising upon contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 17th day of July, A. D. 1929.

(COURT SEAL) J. W. WELLS, Clerk.

By S. Warren Cunningham, Deputy Clerk.
 Publish Nov. 13-20-27, Dec. 4-11-18-25; Jan. 1-8-15-1930.

SAN FRANCISCO.—To keep his rival away from his "lady love" Florentino Lotario burned the clothes of Tony Solas. Solas appeared in police court here and charged Lotario with petty theft.

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TWO T'S

By Albert V. Blum

You don't have to search long to find them hidden in the black squares of to-day's puzzle.

| ACROSS | YESTERDAY'S ANSWER. | DOWN |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Fragment. | APIS | 1. Edible fish. |
| 6. City in Alabama. | FEAST | 2. Masculine name. |
| 11. Place in rows. | SHOP | 3. Washed lightly. |
| 12. Demanded as right. | ELMER | 4. Mountains in South America. |
| 15. Comes ashore. | IDEA | 5. Spanish coin. |
| 16. Anglo-Saxon money. | PIE | 6. Difficult situations. |
| 17. Central part of a wheel (pl.). | SIMPLEST | |
| 18. Anglo-Saxon money. | HUES | |
| 19. Art of cataloguing objects in a museum. | ABET | |
| 22. Suffix denoting a native. | DEFERRED | |
| 23. Poems. | ALLS | |
| 24. Deviation from the right. | WAFER | |
| 25. Mine entrance. | PIE | |
| 26. Man's nickname. | PIE | |
| 27. Hindu Queen. | PIE | |
| 28. Representative. | PIE | |
| 29. Units of work. | PIE | |
| 30. Thoroughfare. | PIE | |
| 31. Recede. | PIE | |
| 34. Payment for service. | PIE | |
| 35. Prefix meaning before. | PIE | |
| 36. Small mound. | PIE | |
| 37. Rose gradually into prominence. | PIE | |
| 38. King of beasts. | PIE | |
| 40. Pert to the bone of the forearm. | PIE | |
| 41. Tablelands. | PIE | |
| 46. Queen of Carthage. | PIE | |
| 47. Chairs. | PIE | |
| 47. Native of a European country. | PIE | |

NANCY CARROLL INHERITS SCHOOL

Imagine the embarrassment of a chorus girl who inherits a boys' prep school. This is what happens to Nancy Carroll. Paramount's red headed cutie, in the comedy-revue extravaganza, "Sweetie" which is coming tomorrow to the Fox-California theater.

According to the plot of the story, which was written by G. Marion Jr., Miss Carroll is a show girl who falls in love with a young football player at a famous Southern prep school. He has talents as a song writer and she begs him to quit school and enter theatrical work but he will not listen, being imbued with school spirit to the exclusion of all else.

But Nancy is suddenly discovered to be the lost heiress-owner of the very school in which her boy friend is the captain of the football team. Then the plot conflicts set in in earnest.

Although giving a class room full of young football players an examination in English is not within the earlier experience of the vivacious Miss Carroll, being a chorus girl is.

She began her chorine career by winning a local talent contest held in New York by one of the Leovy theaters. She then joined the Passing Show of 1923. Within three weeks, she was graduated from the lineup to the leading feminine role, a little dancing specialty having paved her way to recognition.

Also a talking comedy "Peaceful Alley" is on the program.

RICH PURSES FOR GOLFERS IN WEST

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 31.—UP.—An invading host of golfing professionals from scattered portions of the United States will divide \$87,900 in prize money at the end of their winter play in the west. Never before has such a golden year loomed before America's professional golfers, drawing them from the home courses where their salaries continue while they travel.

From October to late January they follow the money trail.

Long Beach is the golfers' rendezvous for the eight of their 12 scheduled tournaments. The purse there is \$8,500.

Riches of all the worlds golf tournaments is the Agua Caliente open played at the little Mexican resort just across the border from San Diego. The Agua Caliente corporation has lured a great field for its tournament starting Jan. 11 with an offer of \$25,000 in prizes.

Just before the pros go to Agua Caliente they will compete in the Los Angeles open and divide \$10,000. Previous to this year's Agua Caliente event, the Los Angeles open was the richest.

But now "Caliente" tops them all, offering the first place winner \$10,000—As much as the entire Los Angeles purse.

Purses Given

Here are the purses which the field divides this year. Tournaments listed by starting date from last October to late next month.

Oregon open, Oct. 31—\$3,000.
 Hawaiian open, Nov. 15—\$3,000.
 Berkeley open, Nov. 28—\$5,000.
 National P. G. A. Dec. 2—\$16,400.
 Catalina open, Dec. 13—\$7,500.
 San Gabriel pro-amateur, Dec. 17—\$1,000.
 Pasadena open, Dec. 20—\$4,000.
 Long Beach open, Jan. 2—\$2,500.
 Los Angeles open, Jan. 10—\$7,500.

That's My 'Sweetie'



SCENE from "Sweetie" with Nancy Carroll, Helen Kane, Jack Oakie, Stanley Smith and William Austin which is coming to the Fox-California theater tomorrow.

GOLDEN BEAR LOOKS BACK ON SUCCESSFUL YEAR OF SPORTS

BERKELEY, Dec. 31.—The close of the year 1929 marks the completion of one of the most successful periods in the recent history of athletics at the University of California.

California athletic teams in intercollegiate competition have captured outright three major Pacific Coast titles—in basketball, crew and baseball—and have taken a share in the four-way tie for first place this season in football.

In minor sports, weight basketball, ice hockey, wrestling, soccer, handball and fencing teams were outstandingly successful.

Following is a composite picture of the athletic year at the university:

Football—Playing one of the most difficult schedules in recent years, Coach C. M. "Nibs" Priole's charges won all conference games but the California-Stanford big game, won all non-conference meetings except for a scoreless tie affair with the great St. Mary's team, and traveled east in mid-season to Philadelphia to win an intercollegiate contest with the University of Pennsylvania. The end of the conference season found California tied for first place with Stanford, Oregon and Southern California.

Baseball—The Golden Bear cage team won California's fifth conference championship in six years last spring, playing a perfect schedule with but three defeats, all by non-conference opponents.

Crew—By virtue of an overwhelming victory over the University of Washington oarsmen, the California crew took the Pacific coast title for the third time in as many years. The Bears led by seven lengths at the finish. Rough water and darkness spelled disaster for this promising California crew at Poughkeepsie two months later; the Bear boat foundered and the crew failed to finish.

Baseball—Effective pitching and heavy slugging were responsible for victories in 11 of 15 conference games played. The Bears were tied in one other game and won every series. The batting average for the season was .309, with three men, Wilson, Powers and Burgett over .400. The season was remarkable for the pitching of Norman Horner, sophomore twirler who finished with eight victories, one tie and no defeats. In 78 1-3 innings only 14 earned runs were scored against him.

Track—Off to a poor start, the California track team developed

under the skilled coaching of Walter Christie until at the end of the season five men representing California took 11 points and sixth place in the I. C. 4 A. meet. In the "big meet" both Captain Emory Cutrice and Kenneth Churchill broke the meet record for the javelin; in the state intercollegiate meet, Cutrice won the javelin with a toss of 209 feet 11 inches, bettering the national intercollegiate record.

Tennis—Five defeats in nine dual tournaments marred the season record of the California tennis team. Of the other four tournaments, two were won and two tied.

145-pound basketball—Winning 21 out of 26 games, the 45s went to the semi-finals of the P. A. A. tournament.

130-pound basketball—The 30s won 24 out of 27 games to take the P. A. A. title.

Ice Hockey—Played for the first time last year, ice hockey gained favor rapidly. At Yosemite valley in the first outdoor meet ever played in California, the Bears defeated U. S. C. three straight to take the intercollegiate title for the Pacific coast. The Blue and Gold pucksters lost two games to the Olympic club and defeated the U. S. I. V. of San Francisco.

Wrestling—Matmen of the university had an unusually successful year, winning all engagements and scoring 124 points to opponents' 33.

Soccer—After a successful preliminary season, the Bear soccer team won the annual series with a tie in the third game.

Handball—Stanford was defeated 4 to 0 in the only intercollegiate competition of the season. Stanford 19 to 9 and held lead places in other tournaments.

Boxing—Although the California boxers lost to Washington, they defeated Stanford in two encounters and took the measure of U. C. L. A.

Water Polo—Oregon was defeated, but the Californians lost to Stanford. In non-conference games the Bears and their opponents were evenly matched.

Swimming—Bear swimmers lost both of their conference meets.

Golf—In four meetings, the California golf team won once, tied once and lost twice. Stanford and the California Country Club teams were the victors; the Bears defeated the Berkeley Country club.

Freshman Football—Like most freshman teams, the Bear Babes were slow in starting and found their stride just in time for their game with the U. S. C. Frosh, which they lost by the narrow margin of two unconverted touchdowns. The freshmen defeated Stanford's yearlings in the little big game which closed the season.

Freshman Track—By the scant advantage of one point the Stanford freshmen defeated the Californians 65 to 66. The "Little Big Meet" was the Bear Babes' only defeat of the season.

Freshman Baseball—The yearling nine won all important games on the schedule with the exception of the Stanford game, an 11 inning affair which the Cardinal Frosh took, 12 to 7.

Freshman Tennis—Freshman tennis players went through the season without a defeat but with two ties on their record.

Basketball—The freshman hoopsters won six and lost five of their 11 games.

Sawtelle Home Annex Urged

SAN FRANCISCO—Congress will be asked to approve a bill providing for a 500-bed annex at the Sawtelle Veterans Home, according to the December session, according to word received by American Legion officials here from Congressman Joe Crail of Los Angeles, in whose district the home is situated. Congressman Crail will also ask the government to carry out a request of Sawtelle citizens to change the name of their city to "West Los Angeles."

Radio

7:00 to 8:00 A. M.
 KFWL—(7:30) Health exercises.
 KPRC—Simplicity; fitness; stocks.
 KJBS—Early Bird Hour.
 KLY—Exercises.
 KTAB—Eye Openers.
 KGO—Health exercises.
 KGO—Edison Scholarship Award.
 8:00 TO 9:00 A. M.
 KPO—Happy Times.
 KJBS—Records.
 KGO—NBC Reveille.
 KTAB—Records.
 KLY—Jean Kent.
 KGO—Edison Scholarship Award.
 9:00 TO 10:00 A. M.

KPO—Dobbs's Daily chat.
 KPRC—Orchestra; Women's hour.
 KJBS—Popular recordings.
 KLY—Modern Homes period; records.
 KFWL—Country Store; records.
 KPRC—Records.
 KRE—Program.
 KLY—Records.
 KTAB—Morning prayer; records.
 KGO—California Home Life.
 10:00 TO 11:00 A. M.

KPO—10:30 Women's Magazine.
 KFWL—Charlie Glenn, health talk.
 KTAB—Records; Dr. Corley.
 KLY—Stocks, records.
 KGO—Features.
 KRE—Recordings.
 KLY—Records.
 KGO—NBC; Women's Magazine.
 KPRC—Feminine fancies; Wyn's Chat.
 KJBS—Cressy Farra.

11:00 TO 12:00 P. M.
 KJBS—Vocal and instrumental.
 KTAB—Studio program.
 KLY—Features.
 KFWL—Program.
 KLY—Sunshine hour.
 KPO—Women's Magazine; announcements.
 KGO—NBC Women's program; organ.
 KPRC—Talk; amateur auditions.
 12 NOON TO 1 P. M.

KPO—Time signals; Theodore Strong organ recital.
 KGO—Luncheon concert.
 KLY—Studio program.
 KFWL—Dance music.
 KPRC—Sherman Clay concert.
 KTAB—Cosmopolitans.
 KLY—Tribune siren; Machado's Hawaiians.
 KJBS—Records.
 KQW—Farm reports.
 1:00 TO 2:00 P. M.

KJBS—Raymond Melodists; variety records.
 KLY—Jean's Hi-Lights.
 KTAB—Chapel of the Chimes, talk.
 KFWL—Around the Town.
 KPRC—Charlie Wellman.
 KPO—Jerry Jermaine; football.
 KLY—Records.
 KQW—Studio program.
 KFWL—Country Store; records.
 KGO—Pacific Yagabonds.
 2:00 TO 3:00 P. M.

KPO—Football.
 KPRC—Football.
 KLY—Features.
 KTAB—Organ recital.
 KLY—Bridge party hour.
 KJBS—Popular program.
 KLY—Features.
 KFWL—Program.
 3:00 TO 4:00 P. M.

KPO—Football.
 KGO—The Cabin Door.
 KPRC—Football.
 KQW—Program.
 KJBS—Recordings.
 KLY—Program.
 KFWL—Program.
 KRE—Features.
 KLY—Program.
 KTAB—Program.
 4:00 TO 5:00 P. M.

KLY—Organ recital.
 KJBS—Records.
 KPRC—Football.
 KPO—Football.
 KTAB—Sunset Revue.
 KTAB—Home Towners.
 KRE—News; weather.
 KLY—Records.
 KFWL—The Ne'er Do Well; Melody Boy.
 5:00 TO 6:00 P. M.

KPO—Big Brother Paul.
 KPRC—Studio features; Edna Fischer.
 KTAB—Brother Bob's Frolic.
 KLY—Children's hour.
 KLY—Records.
 KFWL—Studio records.
 6:00 TO 7:00 P. M.

KPO—Salon orchestra.
 KPRC—Pen band; Chas. Hamp.
 KGO—Agricultural program.
 KLY—Hotel Oakland trio.
 KQW—Studio features.
 KFWL—Dinner program.
 KLY—Recital.
 KTAB—Twilight hour.
 7:00 TO 8 P. M.

KPO—Dance orchestra.
 KGO—Palmolive; Stromberg-Carlson.
 KLY—Studio program.
 KJBS—Dinner music.
 KFWL—Doc Herold.
 KQW—Farm program.
 KRE—Records.
 KFWL—Doc Herold.
 KLY—News program.
 8:00 TO 9:00 P. M.

KLY—Pacific Artists.
 KTAB—Organ recital; Alice Blue.
 KQW—Program.
 KLY—Program.
 KPRC—Studio program.
 KPO—Jack and Ethyl.
 KGO—Jack and Ethyl.
 KFWL—Dr. Forester.

FELON HOLDING TAYLOR DEATH SOLUTION

(Continued from Page 1)

and witness who fled to Mexico immediately after the tragedy.

The latter person fled, not as a result of bribery, but in fear of his life, the ex-convict said, and was willing to return and testify if assured of protection against assassination.

Prisoner in Hiding

It not only became obvious that this assurance could not be given, according to Richardson's statement, but due to a "leak" in the grand jury personnel the life of the Folsom convict himself was placed in imminent peril. The prison board decided to release the latter and permit him to hide away, the statement added.

With a new regime in the district attorney's office in Los Angeles, personal safety is assured, any witnesses who care to testify in the now famous murder case, according to Richardson, and it is believed that the paroled convict can be traced and prevailed upon to come forward and repeat his testimony.

Newsman unfriendly to Richardson recently accused the ex-governor of suppressing information regarding his private investigations of the movie tragedy while he was in office, and bringing them forth at this time for the political effect upon the coming gubernatorial race.

Charges Denied

Richardson flatly denied the charges, saying that he could do nothing with his findings other than to jeopardize the lives of his witnesses while the district attorney's office in Los Angeles was unfriendly. He asserted that he would not be a candidate for elective or appointive office at the coming elections, but inferred that Fitts, present Los Angeles district attorney, would run for governor.

Fitts has declined to comment upon his political plans.

Richardson verbally asserted that sworn statements and documents in his files tended to indicate that Taylor was shot and killed by a woman.

He added that his private files with reference to the death of Thomas Ince, motion picture producer, who died after a party on his private yacht, would also be made available to Fitts.

Keys in Jail

in the Los Angeles county jail, awaiting hearing on his appeal from conviction for graft, emphatically and sweepingly denied previous charges by the former governor in connection with his conduct of the Taylor case.

Thomas Lee Woolwine was district attorney at the time the murder was committed, but was succeeded by Keys while the subsequent investigations were still under way.

Thieves 'Pay' For Borrowed Car

PLATTEVILLE, Wis.—When Harry Wienbergen's automobile was returned to him by county officials who recovered it from a trio of bandits Wienbergen was pleased to find that a thermos bottle he had left in the machine still remained.

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The eyes of the New Year are upon you—and though they are very young eyes, they have read the documents of your 1929 history and could tell you much

of the next twelve months.

America is in a surging wave of unceasing progress, and true Americans will keep their heads above the water.

The Stars and Stripes will be kind to Americans who are earnest in 1930. Let us make a Resolution to look to the future and see only in the past the benefits of recognized mistakes.

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REPUBLIC STEEL COMPANY TO CLOSE

Orders to close the Richmond plant of the Republic Steel Pack- age company effective after today, and to dismantle the equipment were received yesterday. The or- ders are said to have come from the Rheem Manufacturing com- pany of Emeryville, which, ac- cording to rumors has taken over the local plant.

It has been known that the Rheem interests have been nego- tiating for the purchase of the plant for some time but there has been no definite confirmation of the deal.

L. W. Evans, superintendent of the local plant, said today he would devote his time to a new plant established at No. 2 Eight- cent street, adjacent to the San- ta Fe railroad. He and A. De Soto, formerly superintendent of the Republic plant have organized the Paragon Machine and Tool Works and will operate the Eighteenth street plant.

The new plant is now employ- ed principally in the manufactur- ing of washing machines for the Champion Washing Machine com- pany of San Francisco.

The tool company will be in-

Bus Line Quits Circular Route

Starting tomorrow the Mira Vista and East Richmond bus line will change back to its old schedule, according to an an- nouncement from Edward Lucas, owner of the firm.

The bus will leave San Pablo at 8 o'clock, and every hour until 6 o'clock p. m.

Starting at 8:30 in the morn- ing, the bus will leave Tenth street and Macdonald avenue and run every half hour until 5:30. It will run out Barrett avenue to San Pablo, and thence to San Pablo. It will return the same route.

Lucas for the past several weeks has been operating on a loop route, returning to Rich- mond via Twenty-third street.

CARS COLLIDE

Cars driven by A. Sayes, of Yountville and Alvin Nicol, 426 Lexington avenue, El Cerrito, collided at San Pablo and Mac- donald avenues yesterday, ac- cording to police reports. Slight damage was done.

Evans said. Besides washing machines it will manu- facture tools and dies, special machinery, medical instruments, develop patents and do remodel- ing of industrial equipment.

The plant occupies the build- ings formerly used by the Syn- thetic Iron Color company.

69 Deaths By Accident In County In 1929

MARTINEZ, Dec. 31—Accidental deaths in Contra Costa county during the year of 1929 showed a slight increase over the figures for the year 1928, it was revealed in the annual report of Coroner Aubrey Wilson, filed here today.

During the year, 69 persons met death by accident, compared to 58 in 1928, Wilson reported.

The report disclosed that three deaths were traceable to alcohol- ism. In all, 153 deaths were investi- gated but only 113 came under the coroner's jurisdiction.

Of the total, 15 deaths were due to suicide; seven were murders; 10 were due to industrial acci- dents, and one was held justifi- cable homicide.

Twenty-six persons were found dead, and deaths of 28 were held to be due to natural causes.

Music Program At Lion Meet

Members of the Richmond Lions club enjoyed a musical program yesterday when the Neapolitan Quartet of San Francisco appeared before the organization. Operatic airs with a touch of burlesque were presented.

Carl Richard was chairman of the day and had charge of the program.

80 CHILDREN THROG VIEWS KILLED IN BLAZE

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weeping children struggling to- ward the exits. He then noticed a policeman fighting to control the panic stricken audience, while at the foot of the two main stair- ways leading to the balcony, piles of unconscious forms already lay.

First Aid Given

New Year's festivities in the infirmary at Royal Alexandra were reaching a climax, with pa- tients being entertained at lunch- eon, when suddenly the doors were flung open and 100 trampled and shocked children were thrust upon the bewildered staff by an escort of rescue workers.

First aid was administered im- mediately, and all available doc- tors were summoned.

Identification of the children was slow, because many lacked identification marks and all spoke incoherently from fright.

Parents unable to find their youngsters at the theater or the mortuary sought to storm the doors of the hospital and were restrained with difficulty. The scenes were so distressing that several members of the nursing staff, accustomed to suffering, were overcome.

THROG VIEWS NEW FORD MODELS

Throughout yesterday and even- ing, throngs of Richmond citi- zens, eager to see the new Ford car, crowded the salesrooms of David M. Rose at Twenty-third street and Barrett avenue.

Announced as the new and finer Ford, the car lives up to the ex- pectations of the motoring public. Rose stated yesterday.

He has on display two models of the new, racy appearing auto- mobiles, including a town sedan model.

No Mechanical Change

There are absolutely no me- chanical changes in the new cars, Rose stated. Every one of the new cars has the same depend- able motor that has been approved by nearly 3,000,000 owners of the model A cars which are now on the highways of the world.

Rose stated that the policy of the Ford Motor company has been to make minor alterations when- ever a new device has shown itself worthy to be included in the me- chanical plan of the car, but not to bring out a new car as a whole.

Beauty, Claim

"The new body types will have a distinctly refreshing appear- ance," said Rose. "They have all the beauty and charm of contour, line and proportion usually asso- ciated with the large cars.

"As one looks at them, the first thing that catches the eye is the new radiator. Still retaining the Ford individuality, it is high and narrow, and of excellent style.

This, with the higher and longer hood and the shorter cowl, give the front of the car a distinctly new and pleasing appearance, to which an added touch of bright- ness comes from the finish strip at the juncture of the hood and cowl.

"Moulding treatment is new and the fenders are of more generous dimensions, flowing with the lines of the car.

Fenders Fuller

"The fenders, much fuller than heretofore, contribute a great deal to the improved appearance of the car. Higher at the front, with high crown and sweeping well down over the wheels, the new front fenders flow back in graceful curves to the running boards. The rear fenders, which also have high crowns, sweep down over the rear wheels to a point lower than for- merly.

"The head lamps, set higher on a new arched tie rod, also con- tribute to better appearance.

"A new atmosphere of stability is produced by the smaller steel spoke wheels and large tires, which bring the bodies closer to the ground, resulting in a lower center of gravity and consequent increased safety on the road, es- pecially in rounding turns at high speed. Riding quality is also im- proved.

"The most notable changes in the body types have been made in the Tudor Sedan, the Coupes and the open cars."

Antone Rizolta Dies In South

Antone Rizolta of El Cerrito died at San Jose yesterday morn- ing, where he was visiting friends, according to word received here. The body has been brought to Richmond by the Curry chapel, which is arranging funeral ser- vices.

Deceased was the husband of Josie Rizolta and the father of Angellina and Amelia Rizolta. He was a native of Italy, was 41 years of age and a member of the El Cerrito Owls.

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NO EVIDENCE OF ICE AGE MAN IN U. S.

DES MOINES, Ia., Dec. 31.—UP—Antiquity of man in Amer- ica today came to the forefront of discussion at the Anthropol- ogy section of the American as- sociation for the advancement of science.

Papers on the subject ranged from a conclusion that the human race existed on this continent as early as anywhere to state- ments that America was still un- inhabited unrolled centuries after prehistoric man had created a culture in Europe and Asia.

One of the speakers was Har- old Cook of the Denver museum who analyzed recent evidence to- ward existence of early pleis- tocene man in America. In New Mexico, Colorado and Oklahoma there have been found arrow heads and bone and flint tools in earth apparently laid down by the age of ice.

"We have not yet found. Cook admitted, "any skulls that would prove beyond doubt the existence of man here during the glacial period but the evidence thus far discovered is of such quality that we are inspired to further search."

The most radical view of the session was advanced by P. E. Cox, state archaeologist of Ten- nessee.

"The great fertile valleys of the Mississippi," he said, "were one of the cradles of the human race. Mounds found there were constructed long before a stone was laid in the pyramids of Egypt or in any part of the world.

Climate Attracts

"Existence always has sought the site of least resistance; cli- mate and nature's food always have attracted man and made possible existence of the animal kingdom. Therefore it is just as reasonable to assume that man has been in the valley of the Mississippi as long as on any other continent."

Evidence that the "Basket-Men" of fifteen centuries before Christ existed in the northeastern sec- tion of New Mexico and in west- ern Oklahoma was found by E. B. Renaud who conducted an ar- chaeological expedition through the territory this year for the Colorado museum of natural his-

tory. "This extends the distribution area of the basket-men several hundred miles farther northeast than this division previously had been known to exist," Renaud said.

What Renaud described as the "possible origin of the hole in our doughnuts," was found in acorn cakes in which there were holes similar to those in the mod- ern doughnut.

A paper on an allied subject was read tonight by Fay Cooper Cole of the National Research Council. Cole said that an- thropology has provided beyond doubt the American Indian was not of an inferior race. He criti- cized the Indian service as fail- ing to consider scientific advances in consideration of Redmen's prob- lems.

W. P. Self's Mother Dies

News of the death of the mother of William P. Self in Selma was received in Richmond yesterday. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Self have been at the ailing woman's bedside for several weeks.

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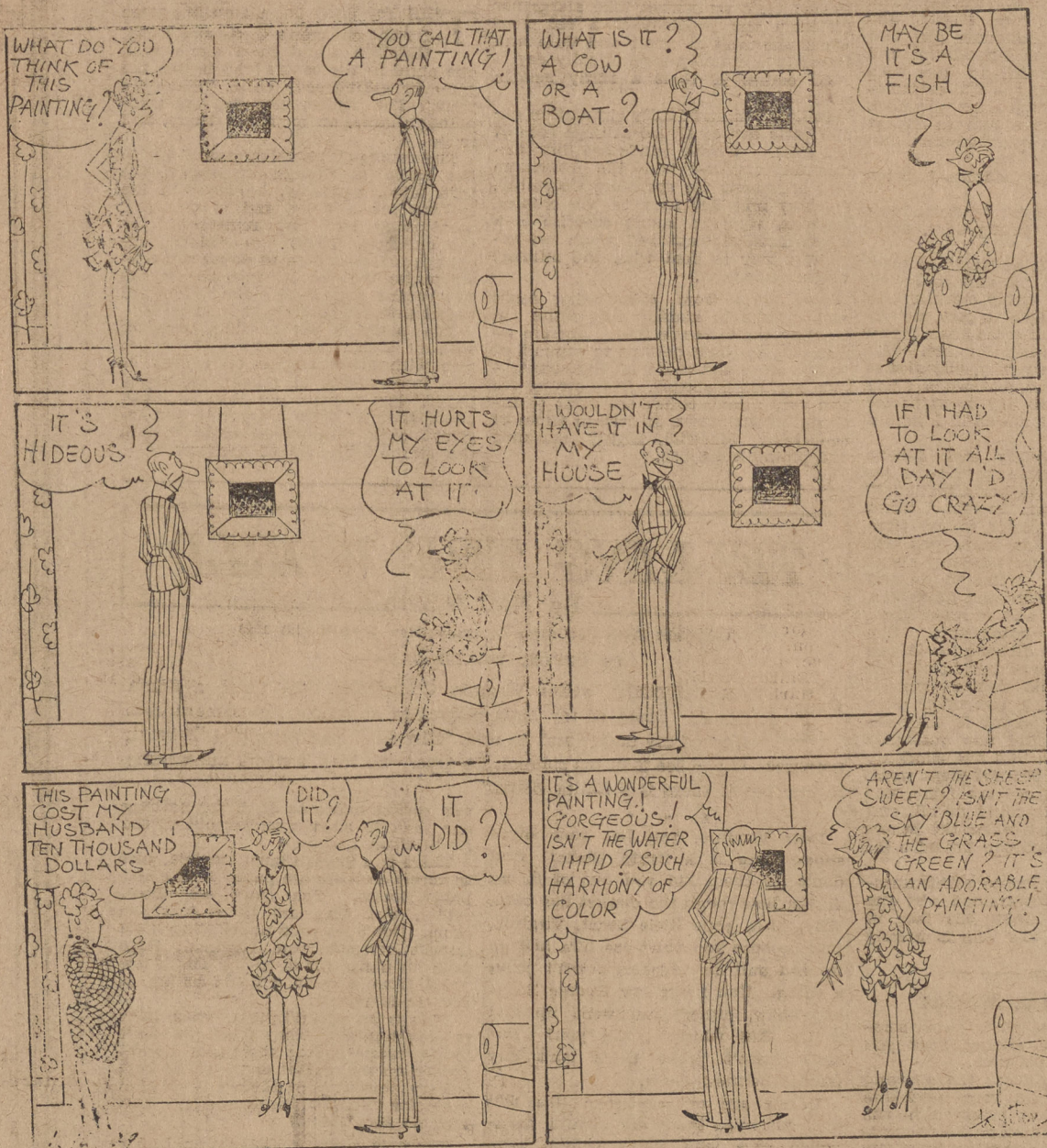
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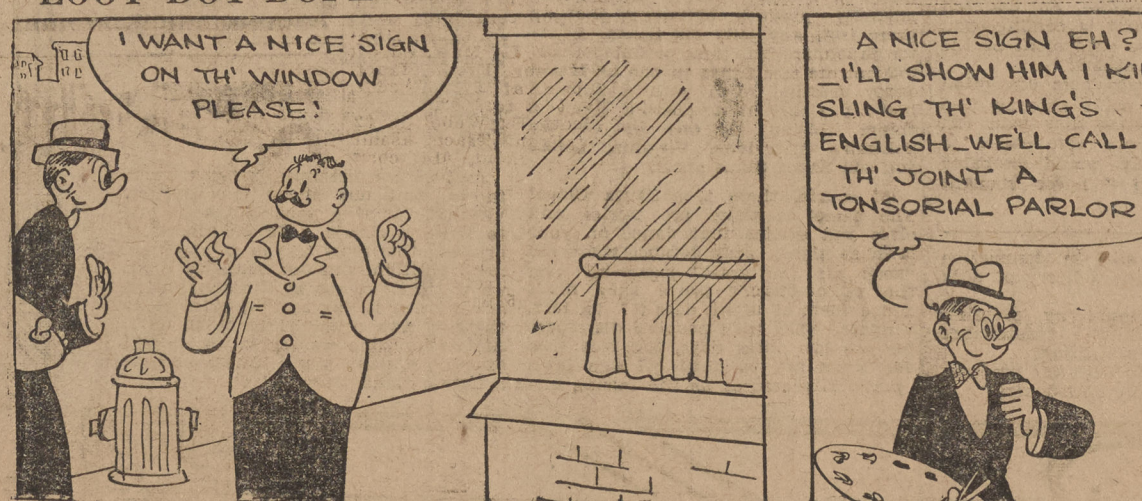
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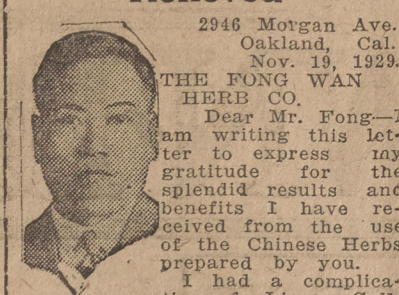
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School nurse says all girls should know this



TALKING to a roomful of high school girls on personal hygiene, an experienced district nurse said:

"One of the basic rules of health for girls is to keep the system functioning naturally at all times. Normal exercise and diet habits should be encouraged. But when necessary there's no harm in taking nujol, since it works mechanically and can't disturb the normal functions of any organ of the body. Particularly with girls, there are times when nujol should always be taken. Take a spoonful every night for a few days. It's a thoroughly safe and harmless medicine. It won't cause distress or gas pains or griping."

Nujol is different from any other substance. It contains no drugs or medicine. It can be taken safely no matter how you are feeling because it is so pure and harmless; and works so easily. Every woman should keep a bottle on hand. Every druggist has this remarkable substance. Get the genuine.

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Gail stood enthralled. Could it be true? Oh, she knew it was true since his mother had told her. That dear woman was proving again that she possessed true mother-love when Mrs. Molnar would have done everything in their power to have prevented him falling in love with anyone! And she—Gail—had been such a ninny! Why hadn't she at least given Ted the chance to explain? If only she could let that Lena person out of her mind! Well, at any rate she would get in touch with Ted as soon as she could, and she walked over to Mrs. Molnar and kissed her.

"Oh, when am I to see Ted? Where? Will you ask him to rush over here the minute you see him, please? If only you knew how, in my heart I have wanted to see him all this time! I, too, have been very miserable and now I simply cannot wait longer!"

"Yes, Gail, just wait a few days longer—for I have a plan! It will happen Christmas Day when you come to our house to dinner. Get there before five-thirty for Ted is playing for a benefit Christmas afternoon. We are going to have an excellent dinner and how that I know everything is amably settled between you and Ted the tension of Christmas will be much easier to bear. I want to give you back to him for a present, and Mrs. Molnar walks to the door and was ready to open it—"

"And, Gail, it's going to be the best Christmas present he will get. See you then—good-by and thanks for listening to an old woman."

Gail turned and sat on the edge of her couch—her eyes like bright stars—swimming in little pools of water.

It was the day before Christmas—and Ted danced at the huge tree which had had so many admirers during the past week. And this afternoon the last group of children were coming, and the last dolls and mechanical toys, and books and clothes, would be given away. The tree looked deserted now and Ted's mind ran over the incidents which stood out during the children's parties they had given. One hundred youngsters, happy, gleeful, in their environment, had been made happier by warm sweaters and caps and mittens—not to mention the toys they had received.

And little Mary O'Leary—with very little Irish blood—was stood out in his mind clearly. His mother was going to her home as soon as the children had gone. She had promised Mary she would come and the child had said she would tell her mother, who would be waiting to see her. Mrs. Molnar had forgotten the room in which she and her mother and the other three children lived. Their father had died as a result of being gassed in the war, and the poor mother had worried herself almost literally to death to try to keep her little brood together. So far she had succeeded, but Mary said that mother was always so tired. "So, if you please, do not mind too much where we

From Mary, Ted's thoughts turned to Nicholas. There was a boy the world would hear from some day! He felt a great sense of pride and importance as he realized that he would be the medium through which the genius of this boy would develop.

Nicholas was, as most of the children had been, a "foreigner." He was a Russian-Italian boy of about fourteen years of age. From his mother he had inherited the definite Italian coloring and features. Olive-skinned—not the heavy olive-heavy black eyebrows—straight across the forehead and huge luminous brown eyes. Soft Italian eyes—the sort that convey an impression of impenetrable depth. You looked into them and you saw yourself mirrored there, one mirror reflecting into another, much as a long room of mirrors in a long hall might reflect your image—never reaching the end. And as you looked at his eyes you saw a soul-dreaming of great artistic achievements—with thoughts high in the clouds—born from the mad-bemirrored, never-stricken environment in which the boy was obliged to live. Nicholas's eyes colored his environment with beauty. But if you scanned them very closely you could see the misery and suffering—the persecution and the relentless driving which had for many centuries followed the Russian Jew, Nicholas's father had seen too much of it—had seen the boy's mother violated and murdered when she protested before his very eyes—and having gone mad with suffering, the father lunged at the guilty Russian officer and fell upon this good gentleman's sword. So the passing of Nicholas's mother and father came with a very short time and after several years of slavery, beatings, and bondage in the house of a neighbor, his older brother, Ivan, had craved his hand and they had made their escape through some of the seemingly insurmountable difficulties to America—the end of the free! Nicholas had wept in homesickness on their long journey and at the many hardships they encountered, but Ivan, being mother and father to the boy, knew only one thing and that was that freedom must be gained at any cost.

(To be continued.)

"IS EVERYBODY HAPPY?" By ELEANORE CAREY

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SYNOPSIS

In jazz-mad New York, unable to find a job as violinist, Ted Molnar is forced to play jazz as a saxophonist in a Hungarian Cafe. His father disowns Ted when he finds him playing the jazz he so despises. When his wife sympathizes with Ted, the father leaves home. The public is captivated by Ted's individual style. Gail Wilson and her employer, Mr. Abrams, help Ted to organize a band out of his own and induce him to engage as dancer Lena Schmidt, his Budapest sweetheart who had received him so coldly in New York. Lena tries to awaken his love, and Gail, whom he now loves sincerely, is jealous. Lena quits the act and Gail goes on to Ted. Mrs. Molnar calls on Gail and explains Ted's relations with Lena.

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subject of your affection should never feel the repression of your self or your ideas. And Ted is Ted should come to me—and Ted is my very life, you know—if he should come to me and say that it would make him happier to go somewhere else or with someone else—and never see me again—and if I could believe him, I should be the first one to wish him God-speed and success! And so it should be with your love for Ted."

"But," said Gail blushing as she admitted it—"I am so jealous of that girl—and I feel I have good reason to be. If you had heard her declaration of love to him, then

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silence—then more passionate declarations with not a word from him, what would you think?"

"Well," Mrs. Molnar saw she had gained some headway in her argument. "If I was the young lady in question, I believe I would handle this case this way. First, I should believe Ted. Show him my confidence in that way. You couldn't see behind the door and watch Ted shake his head in a negative answer—you could not have said there very long."

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THE WOMAN OF IT

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Let Joy Be Unrefined!

SOMETIMES it seems to a woman that the attitude of man toward her sex is dominated by the Boy Scout principle. Of letting no day pass without its Good Deed—Whoever may be "done good!"



Some kind, protective male is always telling women Whether they should adopt long skirts, If it is right for them to smoke, Why they should give up paid jobs when they marry, How they should manage their children! Some philanthropic man, in short, is forever volunteering To help women do their stuff— The big-hearted male sex realizes That women simply cannot be left alone To decide or act in even the most purely personal concerns Without masculine advice and assistance. Never did we feel more certain of this great and reassuring spirit of co-operation among men Than when we read, just the other day in The Evening World,

How a man has invented housework dances For the busy wife and mother— To make her task easy and brighten her day. The ingenious inventor is a German choreographer, Rudolph von Laben, And, according to Berlin despatches, his housework dance is designed To include every domestic task. The duster will be welded to the onestep, The use of the vacuum cleaner will become a joy to the beholder, And even scrubbing will be done with rhythmic and elegant movement. Carrying the idea a little farther than the too, too brief cable reports Of this terpsichorean triumph, We suppose that, while a woman is beating eggs for chocolate cake, Or making French dressing—she may perform a domestic danse du ventre; While doing the dishes, she may trip a Spanish fandango, using plates for castanets—

What's a little broken china, compared to the successful Spirit of the Dance? Setting the table may be set to the stately strains of the minuet, Washing out the bathtub may be combined with clog-dancing about its slippery sides, Even at the washtub and the ironing board the home laundress's feet may do a soft-shoe shuffle.

Why not settle the children's quarrels By sweeping boy and girl off their feet into a folk-dance? Finally, when the lord and master returns at eventide, Dance to the door to meet him, to the tune of the merry, merry maiden measure! Perhaps he'll catch the contagion and do a festive Yale, before he takes off his overcoat— Even if he stops up in the subway all the long trip home. Oh, don't you love it, this dancing housework? A woman finds the idea characterized by the scientific efficiency, the stern common sense, In both of which, as men know, the feminine sex is notably deficient. And must look for help to the genius of the male.

Only one thing really bothers us— Where do you suppose Choreographer Rudolph von Laben got the chance To practice the steps of his housework dance? Something tells us it wasn't in his wife's kitchen, Or in that of any other busy housewife, who is usually doing six things at once. Even if she isn't doing 'em rhythmically, on the light fantastic toe! However, all housewives will agree that their joy-bringer, Rudolph, Should be decorated for his Great Discovery of the Dance Domesticque— They'll give him, we think, the Order of the Broom and the Rolling Pin— Both applied where they'll do the most good On his way out!

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WASHINGTON DAY BY DAY

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WASHINGTON, D. C.
The man who contends that drinking is hard work has a supporter in Dr. Doran, the Federal Prohibition Commissioner. He has just reported that the production and use of "industrial" alcohol is increasing at the rate of about 30,000,000 gallons a year.

The consumption of "legal" alcohol under Treasury Department permits now has gone over 200,000,000 gallons a year, which is quite a lot of gallons. Prohibitionists are interested in comparison. They reveal the enormous increase in the use of alcohol for "industrial purposes" in the United States.

In 1918, before National Prohibition became operative, only 59,163,000 gallons of denatured alcohol were released in the United States, approximately a fourth of the current consumption. On the other hand, there was fifty times as much whiskey which was consumed in the United States in 1918, as against 1,616,000 in the year ending June 30, 1929.

The moral is obvious. In the aggregate more alcohol is being consumed but not as much whiskey. It is "for industrial purposes," presumably to make getting up in the morning harder work than it used to be.

In future when you hear about earthquakes in places thousands of miles removed from the seismograph at Georgetown University in the National capital, the man who will give you the news will be the Rev. Father Frederick Torndorf, who was found dead in his room here a fortnight ago.

Father Torndorf was director of seismology at Fordham during 1923 and 1924 and is familiar with the Galitzin instruments at Georgetown. They are the most delicate which have been devised and expert knowledge is required to handle them. A graduate of the Columbia School of Chemical Engineering, Father Torndorf was actively in Europe, under the celebrated Father Roden in Spain and Dr. Hertzinger at Gelsen.

If any one in Washington needs a vacation it is Senator David A. Reed of Pennsylvania. He went through the World War and came out still a youngish looking man, but with a difference in the Senate tariff fight and the Vane and Grundy cases is beginning to show on him.

With the ordinary run of the political mine type of Senator the forthcoming London conference would be a nice ocean voyage and some pleasurable parties in Mayfair. With Senator Reed it is just another hard job.

Although he has been in attendance at the Senate from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. and almost always at his desk on the floor, Senator Reed has had to carry the major burden of the Hawley-Smoot tariff fight and defend first Vane, then Grundy. On going home at night he has been studying anything and everything about the navies of the world on which he could lay a hand.

It would have been a shame had Senator Reed been obliged to decline the President's appointment as one of the American delegates to the London conference, an honor which all Washington believes a reward of true merit. The prompt disposal of the Vane case and the seating of Senator Grundy appear to have removed the possibility of Senator Reed not being able to go to London.

The seating of Senator Grundy of Pennsylvania and the succession of Senators Baird of New Jersey and Sullivan of Wyoming to vacancies from those States bring the Senate to its full membership for the first time since March, 1927.

The fact that less than a half dozen Senators are ill and confined to their homes brings the daily attendance at Senate sessions to a new high record. It is unusual for a rollcall to disclose the actual presence on the floor of more than eighty Senators, yet guesses were hazarded that the rollcall on the tax reduction resolution would reveal that close to ninety Senators were in the chamber.

Now that Pennsylvania has two Senators they are reviving an old gag about the Capitol. The contention is

A Tea-Time Story

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THE Goddess of Wisdom, the God of Art and the God of Love went meandering one day through the summer woods, and it happened that Athens and Apollo were waiting Amor that though he could subjugate the human heart he could never maintain any lengthy possession of this domain. "With our votaries it is different," they said, "Wisdom becomes deeper and deeper with the years; Art reaches an ever higher pinnacle of excellence, yea of perfection, but Love dies quickly, and ere you know it is gone. Yours is only fleeting sovereignty and not of much account."

However, the God of Love denied this. "Granted," he said, "that many hearts cool quickly and that the flames I kindle become sometimes extinct, yet there are many other hearts who love in the end as they loved in the beginning and over which I hold undisputed sway."

Now you one," said the other two. "Well," answered the God of Love, "there comes Stephen. Thirty years ago Phyllis married him. Phyllis was a lovely and passionate girl and when she had matured into a handsome and noble woman. She fell in love with Stephen, who was and is still extremely good looking, though a bit of a fool, and I wager she loves him to-day as she did then. Just question him and you will see."

"Does Phyllis love you as much now as she did in your young days, Stephen?"

"Why, yes, indeed, ma'am," he said. "She is as good to me and as loving as I can only wish. Every morning she gets up before daylight to give me my breakfast, and when I come home I find the best meal waiting for me. She cares for me in every way, she always plans my pleasure, and when I was once ill there was no day or night for her, and she nursed me as if I were a little child."

Astor smiled proudly and Athens continued her questioning: "So you see no difference at all in her affections?"

"No, indeed, ma'am. In fact, I think that she is even warmer to me than she used to be. For there was one thing we were always fighting about in our young days, I like to jig and clog and dance before the neighbors, to sing funny songs and to make them laugh, and Phyllis hated this. She always gave me the dickens for it and she said that it burned her heart that she loved so dearly should degrade itself to a clown. Why, I remember once she was so furious about it that she slapped my face. And now yesterday when I began to again, and she came upon me, she did not say a word. I was afraid she would scold me, but she did not seem to mind at all, and I observed that when the others laughed and guffawed she smiled a bit herself."

Proudly Stephen looked at his questioners and never understood why the God of Love was hiding his face in shame and fled as one who is utterly defeated.

When at the Movies
Do not converse with your companion—the people sitting near you paid to enjoy the picture.

If you come in during the showing of a film do not ask your neighbors questions about what preceded in the picture—it is unparliamentary to divert their attention from the picture which they are intently following.

Should you have read the story or seen the picture before, do not tell your companion what is coming—you may be spoiling the enjoyment of the picture for several others.

These inconsiderate acts are often very disturbing to other patrons, who have a right to what they paid for. If these transgressors were called to account their reply would probably be something like "never thought of that."

(g) In dairies and in connection with preparation and delivery of milk and cream.

(h) For the operation of boats, railroad trains, street cars, busses, sightseeing cars, taxicabs, elevators and privately owned means of conveyance.

(i) For telephone and radio service.

By Vic.

The Farmer's Advice

By Alfalfa Smith

ASSUMING that we agree upon the fact that confused thinking causes all the trouble in this world, will you let me ask you a question, now that the stock market is quiet again? It is this: Do you ask yourself what you intend to do with stock when you buy it?

In short, do you intend it as an investment, or are you speculating? If you intend your purchase to be an investment, why worry when the price of it goes down?

If you bought your stock as a speculation and the price goes down, isn't that one of the things which makes speculation so fascinating? Why kick? In short, when you buy stock, why not ask yourself this question: "What are my intentions regarding this stock?"

On the Telephone

If you like to know whether your telephone has rung during your absence from home, place a piece of paper with carbon paper between the bell and the clapper and if the bell has rung you will see the marks on the paper.

You can deaden the telephone in case of illness or some other reason by slipping blotting paper under the edge of the bell.

In case you desire to keep telephone bills down you will find a three-minute talk may be had for less than a good reminder when making toll calls.

The Beauty Shop

By Frances Oliver

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THE one query that this department can count on unfailingly at this time of year: "Please tell me how to correct red nose." Follows usually a confession of the deep embarrassment engendered by the blushing nose. Indeed, there is one woman of our acquaintance who is seized with an abnormal inferiority complex the minute cold weather sets in. All because of a rose-tinted nose.

Once she asked us what she ought to do about it. We suggested that she have a wee miff made for the season.

Since then our relationship has never been quite the same. Nevertheless we cannot take altogether seriously the problem of a red nose when the nose is small and delicate and living in a country theoretically dry.

Of course if it is a fairly sizable nose—

Indigestion and faulty circulation are the basic causes of the average case of red nose. Winter winds are but contributory causes—giving the patient no real argument for spending December, January and February in the tropics.

Regular, vigorous bodily exercise is a much more efficient and much less expensive way to deal with the ailment under discussion.

Abstinence from stimulating foods and drinks is usually imperative in treating the off-color nose. Nor are we referring to those potions in pursuit of which more and more of our countrymen are going abroad. Very strong tea and very strong coffee are wont to inflame certain noses, at certain times of the year. Likewise, highly seasoned and piping hot foods.

TELLING THE WORLD

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IN REPLY, WOULD SAY—

"DEAR EDITOR," writes Virginia O'Mulligan. "Is there a Santa Claus? Some of my little playmates at school say there is not. I asked my daddy and he said, 'Why don't you write to J. Herman Seiditz? If you see it in his column, it's true.' So that is why I am writing to find out if there is a Santa Claus."

Dear Virginia, you bet your over-shoes there is a Santa Claus! And don't let them kid you out of it, no matter how tough the market has been. Why, bless your little heart, Virginia, just because you can't see him and go up and pull his whiskers doesn't prove a thing. You never saw George Bernard Shaw, either, and went up and pulled HIS whiskers, did you? But that doesn't prove there isn't any George Bernard Shaw.

In an age of scepticism like this one, Virginia, there are always hard-boiled eggs who won't believe anything unless they see it. Those are the folks who go round yelling Santa Claus is a fake. Roger Babson can probably produce statistics showing there isn't any jolly old Santa. Senator Brookhart can (and probably will) tell you he saw Santa in the Salvation Army dressing room with a pint on his hip. But that doesn't mean a thing. Listen to one of Charley Schwab's interviews, Virginia, before you sell Santa Claus short.

Of course, there is a Santa Claus! The same as there are fairies and elves and sprites that dance on your lawn at night. Just because there are "keep off the grass" signs all over the place doesn't prove they don't dance there at night, does it? In fact, Virginia, what with people disrespect for the law these days, the fact that the signs say to keep off the lawn practically assures us the fairies, elves and sprites are there, too.

And we are certainly glad you wrote in to find out about this matter. It is a good excuse for us to write a classic. We are not only printing this reply to you in a prominent position, but for years to come we will bring it out at Christmas time and reprint it (by request or whether there is any demand for it or not). And every time we reprint it, it will save us any day's work. There sure is a Santa Claus, Virginia!

There is a Santa Claus, Virginia, just as surely as there are paper profits and paper losses. You can't see those, either, but they are there just the same. Don't let your unbelieving little friends persuade you, Virginia. Have faith in Santa Claus to-day and a few years from now it will be selling at 450, ex-dividends.

This is an age, Virginia, when folks are too material. They think it's smart to go round saying there's no decent Scotch on the market or there's no cure for ivy poisoning or there are no good seats for "Strictly Dishonorable." But how do they know?

There is a Santa Claus who brings breakable toys to tens of thousands of little Virginites. There is a Santa Claus just as surely as there is an Emily Post who brings all those non-breakable table rules and manners for your daddy, too, Virginia. Have faith in Santa Claus to-day and a few years from now it will be selling at 450, ex-dividends.

Yes, there is a Santa Claus, Virginia. There is even a Santa Claus in Alabama, it begins to look now.